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## Local and Personal.

George Hoffmann's political makes,  
"There's a touch ever hovers."  
You can't stop a wink:  
If you stop for a blink,  
Another man snatches all the covers.

Miss Miller spent Sunday in Cairo.  
Shaw, Jr. visited in Union City.

Mrs. Mary Nason is visiting in  
Fulton.  
Paul, of Fulton, was in the  
city Saturday.

Mr. Lee Shaw left Sunday for a  
short stay at the Springs, Ark.  
Mr. Tyler and Ernest Johnson are  
spending the week in Tyler, Mo.

Mr. May, from and Light Park  
have been visiting in Terrell, Tenn.  
Mr. Bryant and daughter Miss  
May were visiting near Union City  
this week.

A. H. Deale and child, of  
Cincinnati, Ohio, are guests of Mrs.  
O. H. Deale.

Allice Woods and niece, of Mc-  
Henry, Ill., are visiting Mrs. John  
Klein this week.

United Charities will meet  
next Monday eve, 8th inst., at 3 o'clock,  
at Mrs. H. H. Ellison's.

Mr. J. P. Royer, of Fulton, ac-  
companied by Mrs. Pauline Taylor, was  
in the city Wednesday.

Mr. H. A. Nussbaum, of Cape Gir-  
ardeau, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. H. C. Beckman.

Mr. John Odomel and daughter,  
Lena, of Union City, were guests of  
Mrs. J. Wells, Monday.

Mr. Thomas Berger, of Louisville,  
Mo., was in the city last week, visiting  
his mother, Mrs. H. C. Beckman.

Mr. P. Palmer and L. D. Peeler re-  
turned Friday from their Western trip.  
They were in the city last Sunday, visit-  
ing Mrs. H. C. Beckman.

Mr. C. C. Mahan and children, of  
Blacksville, Ark., visited E. C. Rice's  
family and other Hickman friends this  
week.

Mr. J. C. Mahan, of Blacksville, Ark.,  
will be in the city June 14. It will occur at  
the city.

A man who was injured at New  
Madrid while firing a cannon as a  
parting salute to the gunboat Nashville,  
was still alive at last accounts and it is  
thought there is a chance for his re-  
covery.

The Commercial Convention, in  
session at Louisville, passed a resolution  
asking the Kentucky Legislature to sub-  
mit to popular vote an amendment to  
the Constitution permitting cities and  
towns to fix their own rate of taxation.

At night at City Hall, Diplomas  
will be awarded the following mem-  
bers of the graduating class of Hick-  
man College: Ira B. Green, James B.  
Towson, Prentiss B. Corbin, and Mes-  
srs. Ogie Loet, Eliza Wieman and El-  
more Nussbaum. Hon. A. L. Poterman  
will deliver the address.

The Fulton Commercial Club is ar-  
ranging to celebrate the Fourth of July.  
Among other things, the committee  
are in correspondence with a Philadel-  
phia man who wants to make a balloon  
ascension on that occasion. They are al-  
so arranging for a ball game, foot race,  
sack race, bicycle race, potato race,  
and many other amusements.

Now that the levee and railroad to  
Tiptonville reaches at least a near pos-  
sibility, some opposition has developed.  
In this great, free country you can ac-  
cuse and find any community of one mind  
on any proposition. It has been our  
judgment for years that this enterprise  
was full of the greatest benefits to Hick-  
man and surrounding country, and we  
still think so.

## \$20,000 BONDS.

### To Build New Court House.

The County Fiscal Court at its ses-  
sion Monday, decided to order an elec-  
tion for Tuesday, Nov. 7th, (regular  
election day) at which the proposition  
will be submitted to the voters of Ful-  
ton County as to issuing bonds to the  
amount of \$20,000 to build a new Court  
House. These bonds to be issued in  
denominations of \$100 each; \$4,000 due  
two years from date of issue, and \$4,000  
due each year thereafter—thus exting-  
uishing the liability in six years. We  
do not doubt that the Magistrates have  
acted from the best of their judgment  
under the law, and surrounding condi-  
tions and it is hard for the best inter-  
ests of the people—at least they can  
now pronounce for or against. The  
proposition must receive a two-thirds  
majority of the votes cast to carry.

### State Line News.

DEAR EDITOR:—Not seeing any news  
in your valuable paper from State Line  
in quite a while, will send you a few  
lines.

Our little town is peaceful and quiet  
and the farmers are busy in their crops.  
Mrs. Mary Prather and Mollie Shuck  
attended the Hasty meeting at the first  
Christian Church at Union City last  
week.

Miss Beatie Maddox returned home  
Friday morning after a week's visit to  
her aunt, Mrs. Sammie Parham, near  
Hickman.

Mr. Chris Henry went straw-berry  
hunting Saturday.

Mr. Leonard Maddox went to Union  
City Saturday.

We are glad to note that Mr. Drew  
Bacon, who has been sick for the past  
week, is able to be up again.

Ed. Brown filled his appointment at  
Poplar Grove last Sunday and Sunday  
night.

Quite a number from this vicinity at-  
tended the Children's Day exercises at  
Mr. Zion last Saturday.

Mrs. Simmons, who was recently  
stricken with paralysis, is reported no  
better.

Ed. W. H. Shaffer, of Union City,  
will preach at Mt. Hermon next Sunday  
evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody has a  
cordial invitation to come out and hear  
him.

Let's have a correspondent from Jer-  
sey, N. J., write for the Courier-Journal.

### McKinley Will be Nominated.

A Louisville man, writing to the  
New York Evening Post, has  
gone to the pains of searching  
history to find out just how many  
Presidents and Vice-Presidents  
were renominated, and has come  
to the conclusion that McKinley  
is bound to be renominated and  
that the precedents are all his  
way. The Louisville man does not  
like the thought of a possibility  
even for McKinley being Presi-  
dent four years more, and there  
are millions of other patriotic  
citizens who agree with him, but  
he sees no escape for his nomina-  
tion. He shows that of the nine-  
teen men who have been elected  
to the Presidency before McKin-  
ley, only sixteen of these have  
failed to fill out the term, and  
that three of these—Buchanan,  
Polk and Hayes—declined another  
term, and of the remaining  
thirteen, twelve were renominated,  
the thirteenth, Franklin Pierce  
got a majority of votes in the  
Cincinnati convention, and failed  
only through the working of the  
two-thirds rule—a rule which can-  
not be invoked against a Republi-  
can candidate.

### Facts About the Filipinos.

Among the many excellent fea-  
tures of the current number of  
the Independent is an interview  
with the Hon. John Barrett, late-  
ly United Minister to Siam, on the  
subject of "American Influences  
in the Far East." Mr. Barrett  
says of the five years he spent in  
the East, four years were devoted  
to his duties in Siam. During his  
vacations he visited China, Korea,  
Japan, Formosa, Siberia, Java and  
the Philippines, spending alto-  
gether about a year in the latter  
Islands.

Being personally acquainted  
with Aguinaldo and many of the  
other Filipino leaders, and know-  
ing their character fully, Mr. Bar-  
rett expresses the opinion that  
the islanders are "fighting  
through misleading influences,  
and if they could be made to un-  
derstand the exact attitude and  
intentions of the United States  
they would cease hostilities." Mr.  
Barrett says many of the Philip-  
pines are intelligent, and that "the  
masses are good natured, kindly  
disposed and generally polite, but  
they have not yet developed those  
qualities which would warrant the  
belief that they are capable of ab-  
solute self-government, although  
there are sufficient numbers of  
bright men to develop a partially  
autonomous government.

## Black Eye to Civil Service.

President McKinley has signed  
a Civil Service order placing from  
4,000 to 10,000 offices under the  
control of the Civil Service. There is  
a fundamental merit underlying  
Civil Service laws, but it has al-  
ways been a monstrous hump in  
the administration and exaspe-  
ration of these rules or laws. Cleve-  
land's adherence to Civil Service  
greatly injured him with the ac-  
tive workers and fighters in his  
own party, and yet such laws  
were sufficiently violated by offi-  
cers under him as to throw dis-  
credit upon his sincerity. The all  
sweeping order of Cleveland's  
now rescinded by McKinley was  
made just at the close of his ad-  
ministration. The Courier be-  
lieves that any party or President  
in power owes it to the people to  
fill every office with competent  
and honest men, and when this is  
done the public should be satis-  
fied. Civil Service with all its  
merits has the appearance of build-  
ing up an office-holding class.

### Do We Love Peace or War?

Every box for the Fitzsimmons-  
Jeffries fight in New York has al-  
ready been sold; the total pro-  
ceeds aggregating \$21,000. A  
tremendous amount of interest in  
being manifested in that singular  
match. Hundreds of men from  
distant cities will travel hundreds  
of miles to see it. Thousands of  
dollars will be spent for the priv-  
ilege, and not a dollar regretted,  
no matter whether it is for the  
fight or for the fight.

It is not only the common sense  
of the people, but the common sense  
of the nation, that the nation  
clamor over the manly art—an  
enthusiasm unexpressed even in the  
palmiest old days of the London  
prize fight! And what can they  
think of the popular worship of  
the fighters on land and sea, de-  
veloped by the war between this  
country and Spain, and as yet  
as ever was hero-worship in the  
days of heroism and wandering  
minstrelsy? A martyr in an  
such a stubborn and unorgani-  
zable world—will it never change?

### Salaries Paid State Officers.

Governor.....	\$ 6,500
Lt. Governor (per day).....	10
Private Secretary.....	1,200
Secretary of State.....	3,000
Asst. Secretary of State.....	1,500
Adjutant General.....	2,000
Asst. Adjutant General.....	1,200
Armed Keeper.....	800
State Inspector.....	3,000
Inspector of Mines.....	2,400
Asst. Inspector of Mines.....	1,200
Anditor.....	1,500
Asst. Auditor.....	2,000
Clerk hire.....	15,000
State Treasurer.....	3,600
Deputy Treasurer.....	1,500
Attorney General.....	4,000
Supt. Public Instruction.....	2,500
Chief Clerk.....	1,500
Clerks (two).....	1,850
Register Land Office.....	2,000
Dep't Register Land Office.....	1,300
Second Clerk " ".....	1,200
Third " ".....	1,000
Commissioner Agriculture.....	1,500
Clerk.....	1,200
Insurance Commissioner.....	3,000
Chief Clerk " ".....	2,000
Second " ".....	1,500
Third " ".....	1,200
R. R. Commission 1. Dist.....	1,000
" " 2. ".....	2,000
" " 3. ".....	2,000
One Clerk.....	1,200
State Librarian.....	1,000
Asst. ".....	900
Members State Board of Equal- ization each get \$5.00 per day.	
Members of Court of Appeals, seven in number, and each is paid \$5,000.	
Clerk of Court of Appeals, \$4, 000.	

It is probable, says the Criti-  
cized Press, that those who are op-  
posing State uniformity of text  
books may set about getting out  
another edition of the Bible for  
use in the big towns and cities.  
If there is such a difference in the  
mental make up of the children in  
the city schools and those in the  
rural districts that the ordinary  
text books used in the one will  
not do for the other, how can both  
use the same Bible?

# The Hickman Courier

GEORGE WARREN, EDITOR.  
HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.

## CURRENT TOPICS.

The donkey is the longest lived of domestic animals.  
New York's police department employs 7,400 persons.  
The engines of a first-class man-of-war cost about \$700,000.  
Physician's carriages have the right of way in the streets of Berlin.  
The number of children and youth in the United States is 21,082,473.  
A criminal statute of Gloucester is to be enacted in Blackdown, England.  
The Brooklyn bridge has contracted 14 1/2 feet since it was opened to the public.  
In Russia people must marry before 30 or not at all, and may marry only five times.

The prince of Wales's breakfast never varies. It consists of tea, toast and one egg.  
The car is considering the advisability of abolishing exile to Siberia as a punishment.  
The Columbian will be glad to learn that one-tenth of the world is still unexplored.

The Siberian railway already has 36 refrigerators for taking butter to the Russian cities.  
The first advertisements ever known were placed on the doors of St. Paul's cathedral, London.

GERMANY makes an excellent brand of "smooth" whisky, which finds a ready sale in India.

When first known to the Romans silk was so dear that it was sold weight for weight with gold.

GERMANY post office employees are not permitted to marry without the special consent of the government.

The maximum weight of freight locomotives is now 215,000 pounds, against 100,000 pounds 15 years ago.

A law in eastern Italy, which proposition has been made to fumigate all the books in the public library.

An offer of \$200 for three orchids exhibited at the Antwerp horticultural show has been refused by the owner of the flowers.

The men and women of today are nearly two inches taller than their ancestors. This is no doubt owing to the growth of civilization.

The coal production of Great Britain amounts to 100,000,000 tons a year, of Germany to 100,000,000 tons and of France to 20,000,000 tons.

In Italy there is sunshine almost every day in the year. Even during the rainy season the sun seldom falls until late in the afternoon.

It is said that one pound of butter gives a working force equal to that of five pounds of beef, nine pounds of potatoes or 12 pounds of milk.

Four hundred and fifty dollars was the cost of the cake served at the wedding of John Jacob Astor to Miss Willing, of Philadelphia.

Miss Conroy, wife of the ambassador in London, is in Paris, where she has bought some of the most exquisite court gowns made in that city.

It has been found that in bald people the growth of the hair is stimulated, and its color changed, by the judicious application of electric current.

An Englishman sells Colombia nearly 70 per cent. of the cotton cloth used by the latter, and the United States only about 10 per cent.

The shepherds of Germany predict the weather by observing the wool on the backs of their sheep. It is very early fine weather will prevail.

During the past year the exports of watches from Switzerland amounted to over \$100,000. The watches went to almost all parts of the civilized world.

ALEXANDER BEATRICE, the first white child born in China, and a son of Gen. John Hapstone, has been celebrating his golden wedding at his home in that city.

An Audubon society woman has taken down the picture of "Washington Crossing the Delaware" in her best room and replaced it with "Fulton Crossing the Baggage".

A CLUB has been formed in Peoria, Ill., with 35 charter members, all pledged to marry. The members of Italy is baked in loaves two or three feet long, while in France the loaves are made in the shape of very long, thin loaves, or five feet in length, and in many cases six feet.

A FRENCH naturalist says that if the world were to become lifeless man could not inhabit after nine years' time. In spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects, the bugs and slugs would simply eat up orchards and crops.

ENGLAND, France and Germany have regular traveling salesmen who visit Mexican trade centers every three months, and they get the cream of the business.

Miss John Jacob Astor spends \$50,000 a year. A great part of the money goes for diamonds, of which she is fond, and she often spends \$5,000 in an afternoon's shopping.

FASHIONABLES in buttonhole flowers for this year demand, according to the Westminster Gazette, for an early March Russian violets, for afternoon calls red carnations, for theater parties orchids, and for ball gardenias.

## ORDERS ISSUED.

President McKinley Makes the Expected Civil Service Change.

The change is necessary to meet the new conditions that are arising in the Public Service. About Four Thousand Places Affected.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The president Monday morning issued the long-delayed order amending the civil service rules. The following statement was given out with the order:

"At the time of the issuance of the civil service order of 1906, bringing into the classified service practically the whole of the executive service heretofore not classified, there was a widespread belief that the order had gone too far and covered many places that it would be found impractical to deal with under the civil service rules. The experience of the last three years has shown this feeling to have been well founded.

"The order to enforce the civil service rules in connection with many of these places has resulted in much friction and delay, and it is necessary to make amendments to the civil service rules in order to remove these causes of friction and delay, and to promote efficiency and harmonious administration, certain amendments to the civil service rules have been thought necessary.

"A few of the amendments have no reference to the extension of the classification made in 1906 and are such as are necessary to meet the new conditions that are constantly arising in the public service. Some places, specifically enumerated in Rule 6, have been taken from the competitive examination and placed in the class excepted from examination. Other places in various branches of the service have been removed from the operation of the rules, but not from the classification.

"These places are enumerated in rule 6. Among these are places of persons examining surgeons, Indians employed in the Indian service, not connected with the Indian school service, and in many places in the engineer department at large, the quartermaster's department at large, the subsistence department at large and the war department at large.

With reference to these places in the outside war department service, it is provided that they shall be subject to regulations to be prescribed by the secretary of war and approved by the president, thus placing those branches of the service on substantially the same basis as the navy yard service.

"All of the amendments have for their object a more uniform, efficient and satisfactory administration of the public service. Appointments established by the president, thus placing those branches of the service on substantially the same basis as the navy yard service.

"Rule 6, as amended, exempts from examination the following: Executive office and executive departments not exceeding two principal secretaries or confidential clerks to the president, and the head of each of the eight executive departments; one private secretary or confidential clerk to each of the assistant heads of eight executive departments, and heads of executive departments; all persons appointed by the president without confirmation by the senate; attorneys, assistant attorneys, and special assistant attorneys.

"Among those exempt in the treasury department are: Officer in charge of the bureau of statistics, all shipping commissioners, one chief deputy or assistant collector at each port, one deputy mail officer and deputy surveyor of customs at each port, authorized by law. All deputy collectors of internal revenue, storekeepers and gaugers whose aggregate compensation shall not exceed \$500 per annum, and about 4,000 places in all.

Tramps and Cattle Killed.  
CHICAGO, May 30.—A special train on the Chicago & Northwestern went through the bridge over Prairie creek, two miles west of this Monday. Two men were killed and 100 head of cattle perished.

Agulnais Reported Dead.  
NEW YORK, May 30.—The Sun prints a Manila dispatch, saying the Spanish newspapers there state Agulnais, the man who was committed suicide or was assassinated. It is impossible to confirm the report.

## THE ELECTROCUTION CHAIR.

Wife-Murderer Adrian Braun Pays a Terrible Price for His Crime. He Was Executed in His Minute.

SING SING, N. Y., May 30.—Adrian Braun, the wife-murderer, was electrocuted Monday morning. The current, which recorded 1,500 volts, was turned on at 11:15 a. m., and Braun was pronounced dead in one minute.

A scene was created by Braun in the death chamber. After he had been seated in the chair and the attendants were adjusting the face mask, he raised his right hand, apparently in signal to stop the proceedings.

The warden's assistants paused while Braun, his whole frame quivering, slowly said:  
"Jesus, for you I lived."  
"Jesus, for you I die."  
"Jesus, you are mine in life and death."

As he said the last words Braun's head dropped forward on his breast and he heaved a deep sigh. The attendants then completed the adjustment of the electrodes and in a few seconds the murderer was dead.

Braun was a large, muscular man and his wife an undersized, frail creature. The mother of five children, he was known in the neighborhood as a wifebeater. After years of abuse of his wife he interfered with her freedom of movement, and he was in prison for two years, August 1898, when Braun earned a living for his children by washing.

May 1899, he went to Sing Sing to visit his husband, taking with him a basket of delicacies. Braun was in prison peeling potatoes when his wife arrived at the prison. He slipped his sharp-pointed knife in his pocket and greeted her lovingly. As he was about to separate, Braun was in the act of embracing his wife, plunged the potato-knife into her throat several times. One of the guards saw the deed, but was too late to prevent it, and as he reached his woman she fell dead.

Dead From the Alleged Effects of a Poisonous Substance.  
CLARENDA, Ia., May 30.—Felix Focht, of Heppner, Ia., is dead from the alleged effects of initiation into the Modern Woodmen lodge, of Heppner, Ia., May 15. The members of the lodge were using a spiking board with blank cartridges attached. The board was turned the wrong way and a cartridge exploded, the shell entering Focht's thigh. Blood poisoning and lockjaw resulted.

UNITED STATES CRUISER DETROIT.

Stationed at Blackhead, Nicaragua, to Protect the Interests of American Merchants.

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## LEFT THE TRACK.

A Cumbstrous Wrecked the Roundbed Leaving the Rails Unscathed.

Mail Coach Telegraph by the Rogers Car Roof of the Steeper Through Through the Hills—May 30. From Chicago.

WATKINS, Ia., May 30.—The through train Chicago to Minneapolis over the Rock Island and Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railways was wrecked early Sunday morning at the crossing of Sink creek, about four miles southeast of this place. The train consisted of six coaches, including mail and baggage cars, smoking car, two passenger coaches and a Pullman. Nine persons were killed and 25 injured.

A cloudburst had washed the sand and gravel road bed leaving the track unsupported for a stretch of 30 feet. The rails held together and there was nothing to indicate the insecurity of the road. The engine struck the wash-out and was derailed in the ditch below. The engine and locomotive were piled up in confusion. The small car tipped over and telescoped by the baggage car behind, while the rear end of the baggage car in turn telescoped the smoker. The roof of the sleeper plowed its way through the ditch coach, while the lower half of the latter crashed through the sleeper.

The engineer and fireman jumped from the train and escaped with slight injuries.

Mr. Schwatze, of Atton, Ill., was brought to this city alive, but died at 10 o'clock. He was badly cut about the head, and it was evident from the beginning that his injuries were fatal. He was on his way to Minneapolis, where he was to be married Sunday. He asked his physician to telegraph his father and his sweetheart.

"Tell her," he gasped, "that I have been detained by a wreck and can not make the appointment on time. Don't say any more."

The news was brought to this city by a mail clerk, the fire whistle was blown, a switch engine and coach hastily prepared and a relief train went very rapidly to the scene. The injured passengers were extricated from the debris and brought here. Another relief train soon arrived from Cedar Rapids and took a number of the seriously injured to be treated in the hospital in that city.

F. J. Day, of Allison, a passenger, said: "The train was running at good speed, and at a point about three or four miles from Watkiss it left the track. The engine and baggage car were thrown a distance of 100 feet. The engineer evidently had his engine under excellent control, as I never saw such a sudden stop. The smoker, where I sat, telescoped the baggage car and I found myself with the brakeman on the roof of the ditch coach."

WINDOW PANES BROKEN.

Over 2,000 Were Jammed by a Terrible Blast at Hastings, Neb.—Thousands of Windows Broken.

HASTINGS, Neb., May 30.—A terrific blast struck this city at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon and continued 15 minutes, during which time over 2,000 panes of glass were broken, fruit and grain destroyed, chickens and turkeys hurt, and injured and several persons killed. At the asylum for chronic insane, where hundreds of panes of glass were broken in the main building and 1,500 in the green house, was a great amount of damage was done. The hallstones were as large as hens' eggs, and came down with such force as to kill many chickens, knock birds to pieces, and break shutters on windows.

Mrs. J. M. Pansel was watching the storm when a large window pane was smashed striking her in the arm, making a painful wound. Several other persons were slightly injured. After the storm people scooped up hailstones by the handful and some filled their refrigerators.

SEVERE STORM IN MICHIGAN.

Seven Houses Storm by Lightning in Detroit Harbor—An Unknown Man Killed at Waterfront.

DETROIT, Mich., May 30.—Reports from cities in Berrien county special a severe and disastrous electrical storm at 10 o'clock Sunday night. Seven houses were destroyed by lightning in Benton Harbor. Considerable damage was also done at St. Joseph. Coloma and Waterford report several houses badly damaged and in the latter place a man, whose name is unknown, was killed. He had taken refuge with his kyle under a tree which was struck by lightning. He was not killed, but his kyle is a number of places were injured.

A 20 Per Cent. Dividend.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 30.—The Bank of Commerce Saturday declared a dividend of 50 per cent. on capital stock of \$100,000. The dividend will be paid out of its surplus. The action taken is the result of the recent decision of the supreme court of the United States in the Kentucky bank tax cases. Every bank in the state is expected to follow with a similar reduction. Taxes and charges on corporations have become so excessive that the financial institutions find it difficult to earn dividends.

## THE STORM IN NEBRASKA.

Small Grain Nearly All Destroyed and Fruit Ruined in Five Counties—Considerable Storm Damage.

CHASCO, Neb., May 30.—Additional reports received Monday show that Sunday's storm in Nebraska was more widespread and more destructive than at first reported. Several hailstones as large as eggs in the south central part of the state, mainly Adams, Clay, Fillmore, Saline and Gage, while in Cedar county in the extreme northwest part of the state, a cloudburst did an immense amount of damage. In the counties hit by the hail small grain is nearly all destroyed and fruit ruined, while the loss in brook glass in homes makes quite a respectable sum.

The cloudburst in Cedar county is described in a special to the Bee, from Hartington, as follows:  
A heavy rain and cloudburst visited the northeast part of the county, thoroughly deluging the country, flooding houses, sweeping away barns and out-buildings and demolishing considerable stock. Every bridge on East River creek, which is the source of the Missouri river, is out. The damage is very heavy. During the storm the Catholic church and priest's house at Menominee were badly shattered by lightning. A cyclone cloud appeared, but did little damage.

Farmers who were hit by the Hamilton county tornado are destitute and a relief fund is being raised for their benefit.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 30.—Reports of a severe rain and wind storm in western Wisconsin are coming in. A special from Janesville, Wis., says:  
In the town of La Prairie the barns of Alexander McNeill and Elmer Park were wrecked. Twelve windmills, close to the city, were destroyed. On Thornton Road's farm 80 rods of fence were blown down. Large trees were uprooted and for half an hour a small cyclone prevailed. Much of the early crops are destroyed.

British Holloway, a hamlet near Boston, was nearly destroyed by the heavy wind. The town hall and several small buildings were blown down and other damage done.

Lancaster reports that in many places crops were actually swept from the ground, and railroads, especially the Burlington & Milwaukee road, where much new work was going on, also is a heavy sufferer.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 30.—A tornado passed across Champaign county from the west to the east at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. The storm cloud was a ridge of miles south of this city during slight damage, and then rebounded into the air. It was seen 30 miles south of the city and was seen several times in the air and was then separating. The cloud was followed by a terrific hail storm, which did great damage in the vicinity of Highland.

At 1000 hundreds of windows were shattered by the large hailstones. The hail did much damage to the growing crops.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 30.—The tornado which passed through the village of Perry, 12 miles from this city Sunday night destroyed \$15,000 worth of property.

WITH A HEAVY BELL SLAT.

A Negro Murderer Confined in Jail at Minneapolis, Tenn., Attacks and Fatally Injures Two Sleeping Whites.

MCMINNISTE, Tenn., May 30.—Sunny Crain, a Negro murderer confined in the county jail here, fatally injured two white prisoners Monday morning. Crain got out of bed at an early hour, secured a heavy bedpost, and going to the room of John and William Brown were sleeping, violently struck both of them on the head. Neither of the victims had a chance to defend himself. Crain was finally overpowered by the officers and was chained to the floor. He has been pretending to be crazy for some time.

DREYFUS HEARING BEGUN.

Grand Prospects of the Prisoner of Devil's Island Receiving a New Trial—Garde surround the Palace of Justice.

PARIS, May 30.—The hearing in the Dreyfus revision case began Monday. An army of guards surrounded the palace of justice, warned by the threatened riot in the streets, where riots followed the sessions of the courts.

The prospects are very favorable for Dreyfus in receiving a rehearing of the charges brought against him.

The court adjourned at noon, where very few of the public yet remained in the vicinity. The republican guards immediately returned to barracks and the action of police was dispersed.

COAST OF TEXAS HIT BY THE TIDEWATER.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Dark blizzards got the fishermen. Martin's fishery at the end of the 35th road.

GREATER NEW ORLEANS LEAVES FOR PENNSYLVANIA.

NEW ORLEANS, May 30.—The cruiser New Orleans left here Monday evening for Pensacola. She devoted the day to coal loading, receiving no visitors, but the harbor broke loose in a farewell demonstration.

A GENERAL STRIKE.

PANS, May 30.—A general strike has been inaugurated in the village of Leeresent, in the department of Saone and was called off by the factory work has been suspended. Four thousand are already out.

## "In Union There is Strength."

True strength consists in the union, the harmonious working together of every part of the human organism. This strength can never be obtained if the blood is impure. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the standard prescription for purifying the blood.

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Persistence and Practice.  
A clever young physician here, who, like so many of his brethren everywhere, has had a weary time trying to build up a practice, nevertheless here his hard fortune with smiling gait. Like Walter Hattings, he holds in "Star in Advertiser."

In company with a friend he had occasion the other day to go into the Hattings' book store, where, owing to the illness of the owner, he could not get his business. He was, however, a nervous little man, and he was very much annoyed to find that the owner was not in the store.

"Dear sir," returned the owner, "I am sorry to hear of your illness. I have been here for a week."—San Francisco News Letter.

"Big Four Kites" Write a Spanish-American War History.

Contains 100 superb half-ton engravings, made from photographs taken of our Army and Navy in action. Also contains a full and complete history of the war, from the first shot fired to the last. The book is a masterpiece of art and literature. It is a must for every library.

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## TERRIFIC STORM.

A Portion of Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri Wind-Swept For Hours.

Reported That Dows, Ia., Was Completely Destroyed. Other Property Damaged in the Path of the Cyclone. Lives Lost.

DOWS, Ia., May 29.—A special from Dows, Ia., says: A hailstorm of great severity than was ever witnessed by any citizen of this section passed over Dows and vicinity between 6 and 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The hailstorm raged for one hour. Many of the hailstones were from one to one and one-half inches in diameter and driven by a strong wind from the northwest. When they struck buildings and board fences the report was like the discharge of musketry. The hail, at the close of the storm, was lying in drifts six to eight inches deep on lawns and two feet deep on street, and the streets and brick pavements were flooded with water and mud. Nearly all the unprotected windows on the north and west sides of the houses were broken, and a great deal of damage had been done to the buildings and furniture. The trees are leafless and everything has the aspect of winter.

KIRKVILLE, Mo., May 29.—A terrific windstorm struck this city Sunday evening, followed for two hours by severe lightning and rain. A few of the buildings were unroofed or toppled over and trees uprooted. Church services were suspended, so general was the fright and excitement. The residence was unroofed and the roof was blown through another. Apprehension prevailed because Prof. Wainman, who predicted the storm, said that it would be the worst since the great storm of April 23, when 25 people were killed and 100 injured had prophesied a return of the storm through Missouri Sunday. People have had clothing and valuables packed to store in cellars. Cyclone caves have been constructed.

OSAMA, Neb., May 29.—A special from Chamberlain, N. D., says: Word just received today Sunday afternoon of a disastrous and fatal cyclone which passed the country in the vicinity of Indian Hills, 25 miles south of this city Saturday afternoon between 5 and 6 o'clock, resulting in the death of seven persons and the serious injury of two others.

OSAMA, Neb., May 29.—A special from central city, Neb., says: Probably the most destructive storm that ever visited Nebraska passed through this city Sunday night at 10 o'clock, destroying from \$75,000 to \$100,000 worth of property, including 15 dwellings, one church, two schools, two iron bridges across the Blue river, corn cribs, outbuildings, orchards, gardens, fences and stock.

The funnel-shaped cloud first struck the farm of Peter Jacoby on Section 9, Township 11, completely destroying the house, barn and other buildings. The cloud then rose and did not strike the ground for two miles. It then descended and caught the dwelling, barn, outbuildings and windmill of W. P. Lantzen, leveling them flat to the ground. It next struck the residence of Josiah Fox, completely destroying all buildings.

Steele's large two-story house was the next object of the storm's wrath, all buildings and trees being leveled to the ground. C. R. Eastman's house was the next in the path of the storm, which destroyed his barn and other buildings. A number of head of stock were also killed.

I. Isaacs, living just across the road from Eastman, lost all of his buildings. T. L. Clotter's place came next, and here two fine buildings and outbuildings were destroyed. Mr. Clotter lost two horses and two cows. Cedar trees 10 inches in diameter were blown off or uprooted as easily as corn hills. The family had taken refuge in a cellar. While in the cellar an old-fashioned bay knife stuck in the wall by the side of Mr. Clotter's place. The knife was blown from Eastman's place a mile away.

## STRUCK BY AN ELECTRIC CAR

Chris Bowman and Mrs. Doris Long Fatally Injured at Crossing Near Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, Mich., May 29.—Chris Bowman, aged 73, and Mrs. Doris Long, both of this city, were fatally injured Sunday night by the collision of a rapid railway electric car with the carriage in which they were riding. The occupants of the carriage received serious but not fatal injuries. The accident occurred 15 miles from Detroit on Gratiot road. The carriage endeavored to cross in from the east.

Will Increase Taxes.

COLUMBUS, O., May 29.—The various city departments will ask the city council Monday night for increased appropriations for the coming year. The police department wants to increase the tax rate in this city to 54 or thereabouts. Chief of Police Walcott wants 20 additional patrolmen and a new patrol house. Chief Lawer, of the fire department, wants to increase the number of firemen and buy a quantity of new machinery, hose, etc. Director of Public Improvements Kaufman will also ask an increase for street cleaning purposes.

## EVACUATION OF ZAMBOANGA.

Test of Gen. Rios' Disposition Informing the Government of his Command's Disposition Therefrom.

MADRID, May 27.—Following is the full text of the dispatch which was sent by Gen. Rios, Spain's military representative in the Philippines, from Manila:

"Arrived here on board the Leon XIII. The occupation of the island of Mindanao by the Americans is effected without special incident. The American warships salute our flag with 21 guns when it is lowered.

"The Filipino batteries at Zamboanga, island of Mindanao, continued to fire on our garrison, but finally, after a lively attack by the Spaniards, the insurgents fled. Our losses were two officers and three soldiers killed and 19 soldiers wounded.

"Our company of our troops attacked a battery, which the enemy then abandoned, and two other batteries were dismantled by our artillery. After this reverse the insurgents declared their submission to Spain and suspended hostilities.

"The evacuation of Zamboanga was accomplished in the most orderly way in spite of the violent storm, which caused the loss of several boats and the stranding of the steamer Porto Rico on the enemy's coast; every one was safely evacuated.

"Two American warships were placed at my disposal by the admiral but we did not need them. The Spanish flag was saluted with 13 guns by the American ships.

"If the minister for war does not order the contrary I shall sail for Spain on board the 'El Sagratu'.

"The cabinet today evening approved the plans of Gen. Rios. The Spanish general, Montero, while on the way hither with the Spanish garrison from Zamboanga on the steamer Leon XIII, died of wounds received in a recent engagement with the Filipinos in Mindanao.

The Spanish steamer Leon XIII, island of the red regiment on the island of Jolo and took on board the Spanish garrison, the Americans paying the Spaniards the usual honor.

The steamer then proceeded to Zamboanga. The troops which were not aboard the Leon XIII, the Puerto Rico, the Franes and Los Hermanos, and the three last named sailed for Spain. The insurgents agreed not to molest the Spaniards during the evacuation.

The Leon XIII entered Manila harbor in the evening, the flag flying at half-mast in honor of Gen. Montero Rios, and with the officers of the garrison and their families on board. The insurgents, it is reported, have not yet received orders to this effect. It is understood, however, that orders will be sent to her at Valparaiso to proceed to Apia.

It is reported that Gen. Kautz has been recalled from Samoa because of certain letters sent to his cousin, Mrs. Lindsey, of Cincinnati, in which he made allusions to Apia, but she has not yet received orders to this effect. It is understood, however, that orders will be sent to her at Valparaiso to proceed to Apia.

This is said to have given offense to Germany, and the German embassy is said to have indicated clearly that this was the case, although no official complaint was lodged. It is said that Kautz's alleged indiscretion will lead to his being assigned to the command of the U. S. S. Albatross, of the Newark, which will take the place of the Philadelphia as the flagship at Apia.

## NEW YORK ANTI-TRUST LAW.

It Enables the Attorney General to Prosecute and Prevent Monopolies in Articles and Commodities.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 27.—Senator Donnelly's anti-trust bill, which was passed by the senate Friday, enables the attorney general to prosecute and secure testimony to prevent monopolies in articles or commodities of common use, the price of which is restrained by trade agreements, restraints of trade and commerce. Every person or corporation who shall enter into any such contract is guilty of a misdemeanor, and, if an individual, is punishable by a fine of not exceeding \$5,000 or imprisonment for not longer than one year or both; and if a corporation, by a fine of not exceeding \$5,000.

## THE AUTOMOBILE HAD KILLED.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The automobile, which left Cleveland at 7 o'clock Monday morning to establish an automobile record between Cleveland and New York, arrived in New York at 5:45 o'clock Friday. The record made was 70.4 miles in 49 hours and four minutes of actual running. This is an average of 1.7 miles an hour. The trip was accomplished with only one accident of a serious nature and the party is ready to go right back to Cleveland in the same way as far as the machine is concerned.

## GEN. OTIS TERMS.

Nothing but an Unconditional Surrender Will Satisfy the American.

More Troops to Be Sent to the Philippines—Gen. MacArthur Favors the Expedition of Raising the American Flag Against Tagala.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—"When you desire to reconquer the American military lines some prepared for an unconditional surrender. Otherwise you will not be admitted."

This is substance, it is the saying of the war department, is the parting message Aguinaldo's scowled peace envoy received when they left Manila on their way to Aguinaldo's headquarters.

Our commissioners have not already received instructions to adhere to this decision they will receive them at once.

The foolishness of further negotiations with irresponsible leaders of defiant rebels is at last fully appreciated by administration officials. The insurgents must be whipped into submission.

The president, it is said, is now of this opinion. He regrets that he is unable to share in the optimistic optimism of the Schuyler, chairman of the commission, that the Filipino envoys will speedily come back to accept to full our own terms. Mr. Schuyler expressed similar views immediately after his first peace conference, more than three weeks ago, and thereby caused the president to fall into the mistake of expecting peace at once.

The fact that the authorities have again taken up the question of sending additional troops to the Philippines is a good indication that they consider the recent peace negotiations a failure. The 10th Infantry (colored) has been slated for service in the Philippines, in addition to those already decided upon. Other regiments are also being talked of.

MANILA, May 28.—Gen. MacArthur is in favor of the experiment of enlisting the Macabebes against their old enemies, the Tagals, and use them as a detachment of the leading Macabebes has visited the general, and his spokesman read an address assuring the American commander of the friendship of the Macabebes and of their willingness to the transfer of their allegiance from Spain to the United States. They complained that the Tagals murdered them and their villages and they asked to be protected and given arms to protect themselves.

The Macabebes have greatly assisted in posting the Americans on the country and the positions of the enemy.

Gen. MacArthur would arm a hundred of these men and use them as scouts, and if the experiment proved successful, he would enlist more of them.

The United States transport Morgan City, which left San Francisco April 25 with 600 recruits for various regiments here on board, has arrived and will proceed to Honolulu.

Major M. Diggle, of the 15th Minnesota regiment, who was wounded in the head while reconnoitering May 8 at a point near San Miguel, and who was brought to a hospital here, is dead. He was killed by a bullet in the head.

San Francisco, May 28.—Major M. Diggle, of the 15th Minnesota regiment, was born in Boston in 1855. He was graduated from Yale college in 1878. He had resided in Minneapolis for 12 years, being engaged in the real estate and life insurance business. His widow and a seven-year-old daughter live in Minneapolis.

MADRID, May 28.—The approach of the wet season leads the instruction seemingly taking a new lease of life. All along the American lines the rebels are showing more aggressive activity, in their guerrilla style, than at any time before since the fall of Manila.

They keep the United States troops in the trenches, sleeping in their clothing and constantly on the alert against dashes upon our outposts, and they make life warm for the American garrisons in the towns.

The lands of Gen. Luna and Gen. Macabato, which retreated toward Tarlac when they feared they would be caught between Gen. MacArthur and Gen. Lawton, have returned to their old homes and are now in the hands of the Americans.

Opposite our lines on the south protecting Manila all the way around to San Pedro Macati, the Filipinos have three rows of trenches most of the distance.

Reports from prisoners indicate that the insurgents consider the peace negotiations to mean that the Americans have had enough of fighting. The Filipinos are also encouraged by the belief that the Americans are preparing for an interval of inactivity during the wet season.

Paras a Revision of the Treaty Can. PARIS, May 29.—It was reported Saturday that the report of the president of the civil section of the court of cassation, M. Haillet-De la Roche, to the president of the court of cassation, M. De la Roche, is in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus trial and urges re-opening the case before a court-martial.

## CONFIRMATION AT ST. PETERSBURG.

FOR A PRINCE, MAY 29.—Twenty, hours have been destroyed here by fire. Two firemen were wounded while combating the conflagration.

## AMERICAN FORCE TOO SMALL.

A Much Larger Army Will Be Necessary to Establish that Supremacy in the Philippines.

MADRID, May 27.—The events of the past week have emphasized the fact of a much larger army here, without which, according to the best authorities in Manila, it would be impossible to expect to establish American supremacy in the Philippine islands. The inadequacy of the American forces is said to be responsible for the large total loss in the summer's small encounters, without material results as a compensation.

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## STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS.

A MOR FORMING. WILL ADD TO THE INTEREST.

Reported That James Tapp, Who Shot Albert Clements, Robt. Lemmon and the Coleraine, Will Be Lynched.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Ky., May 29.—The bitter feeling against James Tapp, who shot Albert Clements, Robert Lemmon and Elmer Franks, is increasing in intensity, and the authorities have been informed that a mob has formed near Sherman and is en route here to lynch the prisoner.

Sunday the limb of Albert Clements, the butcher, who was an innocent spectator to the assault, was amputated at the knee, and from Walton comes the report that young Franks, who was shot twice, once in the arm and the other time in the back, had died.

Sunday, at the instance of the brother, a double guard of 18 men was placed around the jail, but the prisoner, fearing that he would not protect him, begged to be taken to Cincinnati. This request was refused. It is stated that the mob that is forming is composed of residents of Walton, Crittenden, Sherman and Mt. Zion, and that the rendezvous is near Sherman.

Prayers on a Race Track. The Christian Workers of Lexington held Sabbath-school in the grand stand of the Old Kentucky Association track.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 28.—J. S. Weathers, of the First Presbyterian church, this city, is conducting a mission Sunday-school under the grand stand of the Old Kentucky association race track. This is a notable first Sunday-schooler held in such a place.

It was begun the first Sunday in May and the attendance has been increasing until now there are 110 names on the rolls. Superintendent Farris gave Mr. Weathers permission to use the building, and the school was held Sunday afternoon and sees that the property is not injured. Mr. Weathers has a full corps of teachers. The children come from the settlement back of the race track, and the most of them live on Breckinridge street. Many of them never went to Sunday school before and not a few of them were never in the habit of attending church.

Discovered in a Flying Condition. MIDDLETOWN, Ky., May 27.—Mrs. D. M. Sampson, wife of a shoemaker, has just been discovered in a flying condition in her usual work, on Saturday last, her husband knocked her down with his hammer, stamped her violently, and further tortured her by jabbing a knife into her face. He then fled, leaving her in a state of unconsciousness. She was found by a neighbor and taken to a hospital.

Homeopathic Society. LEXINGTON, Ky., May 27.—The fourth annual session of the Kentucky State Homeopathic Medical society adjourned Thursday to meet in Paris next May. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. H. K. Kautz, president; Dr. J. T. Vansant, of Paris, vice president; Dr. J. W. Kirschbaum, of Danville, treasurer; and Dr. Fred E. Peck, of Augusta, secretary.

Shots Made a Judge. RICHMOND, Ky., May 27.—The county magistrates in session here Thursday elected Squire N. B. Turpin, one of their number, county judge of this (Madison) county, to succeed Hon. C. H. Sullivan, recently deceased. Judge Turpin will serve until his successor is chosen at the regular November election.

E. K. Mac for State Senator. OWENSON, Ky., May 28.—The district convention assembled here Wednesday, and after endorsing the Chicago platform of 1900 and pledging their support to J. B. Bryan for president in 1904, nominated E. Mann, of Rowan county, on first ballot for state senator.

Must Report Tolls. FRANKFORT, Ky., May 28.—The court of appeals decided Wednesday that the Louisville Bridge Co. must repay \$100,000 collected as tolls from the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Co. in excess of the toll contract of the two companies.

Faithfully Start by Barring Bunch. PADUCAH, Ky., May 27.—J. A. Cope, a merchant and mill man of Glade, Marshall county, is dying from injuries received in his mill. A bull in the mill yard struck a piece of the stone struck him in the breast, inflicting internal injuries.

Drank Acid by Mistake. PAINTSVILLE, Ky., May 27.—Eugene Meade, who was slashed a few days ago, died Thursday from the effects of a dose of carbolic acid, administered through a mistake.

Two Convicts. FRANKFORT, Ky., May 28.—Gov. Bradley's home coming is likely to add to the interest in the race for the republican nomination for governor. The governor will return to the state capital Wednesday after an absence of 30 days at different health resorts. Acting Gov. Worthington, who has operated the "pardon mill" during that time, has extended clemency to about 30 convicts, will be relieved of the cares of the state.

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## Railroad Time Table.

N., C. & St. L. R. R.  
ARRIVES:  
Train No. 1 at 8:15 a.m. Train No. 2 at 11:15 a.m.  
Train No. 3 at 2:15 p.m. Train No. 4 at 5:15 p.m.

## The Whittitt Wrangle.

The Whittitt controversy in the Baptist Church will not entirely subside, notwithstanding the recent general Convention relegated him to private life. In a remarkable sermon in the Baptist church, Louisville, the pastor Carter Helm Jones, denounced the action relieving Dr. Whittitt as prompted by malice and founded on ignorance. The congregation applauded by stamping on the floor, the women crying, and an outburst seemed imminent. The demonstration shows the strong hold Dr. Whittitt has on his followers.

## Socialism Follows Truists.

Eugene Debs, the great Socialist and labor leader, who played such a conspicuous part in the great Chicago railroad strike, declares that "Truists are but a step toward inevitable socialism, and that it is useless to oppose them." His idea is that if Truists, the combinations of great capitalists, are to control the prices of the products of the field and manufacturing establishments, then the people in preference will elect to put the Government in ownership and control of all such things. The socialist idea is that the Government should own all the land, operate all the factories, railroads, &c., and teach that competition is ruinous to the best interests of the people. They also teach that it is to the interest of large capital to concentrate power and kill out competition to the end that they can control the supply and therefore the prices. The Socialists contend that the Government should do this because they believe the Government will do it more equitably than the individual combines.

## Peace in the Philippines.

Last week the news was that the Philippines were negotiating for terms of peace, that they were exhausted with the unequal war against the Americans, and that their surrender was bound to come. This week we have news almost to the contrary, that fighting is on, and that the Filipino army has been largely reformed. And the news is further that our own army must be largely increased before we can hope to conquer them. The news has thus alternated since the beginning of this unfortunate trouble, and so much that the most intelligent reader can know but little of the real condition over there.

The Fulton Guard seems to be apprehensive that the gold demagogue of Hickman will take possession of the County Democratic Convention in the interest of one of the candidates for Governor. The facts are that few, if any, of that element will take any part in the convention at all. We wish they would. The doors are open. And our contemporary may rest assured that they are about as much divided as to the present candidates as any other element.

## LOCAL NEWS.

### Queensware at Shaw's.

—Old papers for sale at this office at a price to be named.

—Mrs. Geo. Cross and son, of the field, Ark, were in the city Tuesday.

—Parents should send their naughty children to the manual training school.

—No one ever gets so poor that he can afford to have holes in his pockets.

—Special attention to Hardware shell goods at Shaw's.

—Place your advertisement in the Courier and watch your business grow.

—The difference between reputation and impudence is in the size of the speaker.

—Prof. Devos, the great weather prophet, predicts a terrible blizzard to sweep from the north, with heavy snow.

—He refers chiefly to the Eastern States.

—Ed. Crossland, a young attorney of Mayfield, and son of Sam Crossland, has returned from Italy. Philanthropies were received in an honorable discharge from the 1st Iowa regiment.

—6 boxes bread for \$20.

—20 boxes bread for \$10.

—Perkins have industry and save from 20 to 30 on the dollar, at the New City Bakery.

—The Appellate court of Kentucky is maintaining the law requiring common trials to carry separate coaches for negroes, and say that refusing to observe this law are subject to a heavy penalty.

—A Tennessee editor says he dreams of a sea in Heaven the other night.

—He says he didn't see a single bill collector on a delinquent subscriber there, but that a delinquent was filled with big adventures.

—The new feud among the young ladies is the friendship league for the purpose of having the same or mutual of the friend, are the most common and appropriate.

—Robert Shelby and Ida Collier, both of Hickman, Ky., were married Sunday morning.

—New Madrid Missouri.

—The above couple, colored folk, enjoy the kind wishes of all.

—The supply of water from Water Works is low and dry, and the fact that they are cut off from the river by some break in the tunnel.

—When the river falls sufficiently the City will repair the break. In the meantime use water sparingly.

—I have about 10 gross of fruit for sale for watches, all sizes, that I got from Ed. Meyer at a bargain that I will fit them in your watch for \$5, for 20 days.

—Editor George Warren advertises that his paper, the Hickman Courier, is for sale.

—Mr. Warren has been identified with the publication of the paper for more than forty years, and his newspaper friends will regret his retirement from the business.

—There is a man in one of our neighboring towns, with pretty marriageable daughters, who has arranged to put a clock in the parlor that will play "Home Sweet Home" at 10 o'clock; "Trump, Trump, the Boys are Marching" at 10:15; and "Julius and the Gun" at 10:30.

—Says the Ohio Democrat: The small post situation in West Tennessee has reached a point that calls for serious alarm. At Martin there are a number of cases. The same is true of Fulton, Kentucky. Many new cases were discovered here in a very famous way.

—Henry Emerson, proprietor of the Hickman Telephone Exchange, informs us that the combination putting in a new "switch board," one much larger than the present one, which will enable him to give his patrons better service, and answer the demands of his increased patronage.

—Indications are flattering for a large apple crop. The best fruit for years are not so bright. Grapes will not be as abundant as usual, as many of the vines were killed by frosts early in the season. There will be but very few of these this season. Many of the trees were winter-killed.

—An item that was published in the Courier last week, and which took the minds of the press, stating that a total eclipse of the sun would occur Monday last, evidently originated in the mind of some amateur astronomer whose prediction failed to come true. It was not laid down in the almanacs.

—"The way we sell 'program' in this shop is this, pro, for some grain—and the way we pronounce it is program. Commencement announcements please N. B. Your pronunciation is unjustifiable even if you spell it 'program' because you don't say 'program' or 'program'—do you?"

—Hollis Kirk, who was injured last week by the premature discharge of one of the guns used in firing a salute to the gunboat Nashville, is up and about again, and we are glad to state that his injuries, though painful, are not serious. Hollis says, "though slightly disfigured, he's still in the ring."

—As a precaution against the spread of small pox, Union City has notified prospective colored expatriates to state that such will not be permitted to return. Other authorities have taken like precautions. So far the disease has been chiefly confined to the colored people, and therefore scattered by them.

—C. B. Morris, Druggist, Moscow, Ky., says his late Plantation Chili Cure sold and suits his taste, because it eradicates the system of all malarial poisons, and he guarantees it.

—A Cairo man has invented a chair which gives the table and chair completely out of sight when in use. The world is fast adapting itself to the little new schemes, which is an argument in modern building. With the folding bed and the disappearing chair we ought to be in a way to live in almost any kind of a box.

—Potato bugs are said to be more plentiful this season than for several years past, and the potato crop is likely to be short in amount of their ravages. The farmers and gardeners are kept busy doing the plants with Paris Green and other poisons, but the bugs do not seem to diminish in numbers under the most heroic measures.

## ENTHUSIASTIC FOR HICKMAN AND FULTON

### Electric Railway.

Charles Headless, one of the best citizens of this county, is an earnest advocate for the above enterprise.

The Fulton Leader says:

Headless is enthusiastic over the proposed electric railroad line to the city from Fulton to Hickman and says it ought to be built by Lewis Schoolcraft. This is what is called the middle class, and seems to be the best as there are no drawbacks which would go to the old state road and State.

From the Fulton Courier:

Headless is a school teacher, who is the right a couple of miles, comes back to the direct line.

There are about twenty men in that neighborhood like Lewis Headless, who are not only willing to give up their own property for the right of way but will subscribe liberally.

It is hoped that the enterprise will assume a more tangible shape at an early date.

### A LUNATIC'S REPORT.

There is said to be an inmate of the Hopkinsville asylum who believes that he has swallowed a Democrat.

He goes about sitting and rubbing his stomach and complaining of the bad taste that comes up into his mouth and is full of having eaten the "dumb" politician. Not long ago there were a number of visitors to the asylum, all Republicans, who took much delight in hearing their fellow complain of his unhappy experience. He was questioned closely as to how the Democrat tasted as he was swallowed, and whether the Jeffersonian was much discomforted in the gastric regions. The lunatic took all good naturedly and patiently and finally he said, "It was awful and it wasn't a Republican I swallowed."

Then one of his tormentors asked why. "Because it would have killed me on the spot," replied the sufferer, solemnly. Then the visitors traveled on, and the insane man passed his hand over his stomach with an expression of relief.—Hartford Herald.

### DEATH-BLOW TO INVENTION.

Trust control of the productive energies of the country means that the stimulus hitherto given to inventive skill shall cease. No longer as manufacturers moved on competitive lines there was an active demand for improved machinery, and the rewards of the men who invented were manifest and served as a spur to intellectual efforts of the world.

With the sources of production controlled by combines, competition will be checked. Men who make improved machinery, or discover and apply new series of nature for cheapening production and increasing profits, will have no market for the sale of their inventions.

They will have to take what the trusts choose to pay. They will be told that the trusts have no competitors, and therefore need no new inventions. "What are your unwearied and tireless investigations, the incentive and potency of the United States and the commercial conquest of the world will be seriously hindered."

This conclusion is not conjectural. It is inevitable if trusts attain the dimensions and power to which they seem to be tending.

—The annual report of the Chief of the Weather Bureau shows a remarkable increase in the loss of farm property by lightning during the last few years. It is a question, however, whether this is due to the frequency of thunderstorms or to the more extended facilities for securing information. At present the Weather Bureau has a correspondent in every corner of every county of the country, who reports the events of interest to farmers and the public generally, while formerly its system of news-gathering was imperfect and incomplete.

A COLORADO soldier fighting with the army in Luzon, writes home: "I had hoped to be at home and at work before this time, but as though I am losing valuable time. My heart is not in this war as it was in the one I enlisted to fight in, and I go into it simply because I have to. If I were not an American, I think I would be helping the Philippines. You may well be glad you didn't enlist in the war." In spite of the conscription of matter in and out of the world, evidently some of our soldiers don't need to be told that the war with the insurgents is not as creditable as the United States—Exchange.

## MAN, POOR MAN.

As a sample of what an old maid can do with a pen, says an exchange, we submit the following:

"Man is a two-legged animal that chews tobacco and walks on the forked ends. Most men are born; we never heard of but our that wasn't, and he was made of mud just for a sample. Man's life is full of disappointments. He grows and corn and pipes. He goes forth like a lion in the morning and leaves the wood for his life to chop, and in the evening he sneaks home with pants ripped, and raises Cain about hard times. He has a grip on road working day, and walks twenty miles to a corpse. He will chase a jack-rabbit four miles through the snow and burrow a horse to ride a half mile to the pasture."

## A BIG ONE.

It is evident that California is not the only State in the Union having claim to big trees. Kentucky holds a pretty lively hand in the timber line, as will be observed by the following: One of the biggest logs ever offered for sale in a Kentucky saw mill was seen at Paducah a day or two ago. It was sold to Palmer, Ferguson & Co., for the sum of \$144. It was nine feet in diameter, sixty feet long, and said to contain 16,000 feet of red oak lumber.

—KEN. WALES HARRISON, old and penniless, declines to have a subscription taken up for his benefit. He says: "It is the duty of every citizen to serve his state when ever called upon to do so, and his whole reward should be the consciousness of having fulfilled that obligation."

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My purchases this season surpass all other in RICHNESS, VARIETY and STYLE. The patterns are our own, and no fear of duplication. My shelves are crowded with the world's best, latest and loveliest productions. Among the NOVELTIES are these:

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which are so much in use this season. They are brought direct from the manufacturers, are perfect fitting and very cheap.

WHITE APOKOS—A lot of these, cheaper than you can make them—only six each.

Especially invite everybody to call and examine my entire stock, and compare quality and price.

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## THE HICKMAN COURIER.

George Warren.

HICKMAN, KY.

FRIDAY, 1111 JUNE 3, 1909.

—School is out.

—Shoes at RHAW'S.

—John T. Dillon returned to Shaw, Miss., last week.

—The farmers are now putting in their best crops.

—The new Lucile Hotel will probably be completed by July 1st.

—The spring chicken has made its appearance on the home market.

—The City Council will meet in regular session next Monday night.

—Mrs. G. Hunkler and daughter are visiting relatives at Highland, Ill.

—Human nature is broadish, is no better than human nature in rage.

—Shaw's \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 shoes can't be beat.

—County Attorney, A. W. Lindsay, was called to Fulton, Tennessee, on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Roberts have returned from a visit to relatives in St. Louis.

—The man with an elastic imagination is apt to mistake it for his conscience.

—W. W. Fenn and wife, of Mark Tree, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doe May.

—The man who knows but one thing feels capable of giving advice on all subjects.

—Hind Joe, the celebrated violinist, of Union City, was the guest of Charles Travis, this week.

—A Ring up 90 when you want fresh Eggs, Bread, Fruits, Nuts and Candies.

—Miss Estella Millard, of Union City, was in the city several days the past week, visiting friends.

—Miss Mabel French left Tuesday to attend commencement exercises of Columbia Institute, Columbia, Tenn.

—Miss Essie French, who is attending Columbia Institute, Columbia, Tennessee, will receive her diploma June 7.

—The little folks are arranging to have a basket picnic at the grounds some time within the next two or three weeks.

—THE OLD RELIABLE is the place to get your watch fixed cheap and good.

—Everything in the way of business is moving smoothly except the ministerial business. That seems to be a little slow.

—It is reported here that Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer and, probably, one or two of their children, are down with the small pox, at Mark Tree.

—Jim Hugg, who shot Ed. Marshall, at Newburg some time ago, surrendered to the authorities at Clinton the other day and was released on a \$500 bond.

—BEAVER HATS FOR \$2.00.

Department.

—The Rev. Archer Boucher preached the commencement sermon of Hickman College, Sunday night. His subject "It is Finished," was well handled and impressive.

—Eld. W. H. Sheffer, pastor of the First Christian Church of Union City, will preach at Mount Vernon next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The subject will be "The Guide and the Goal."

—A large crowd attended Decoration services at Mt. Zion, Saturday. A good sermon by Rev. J. H. Roberts, a special dedication by R. T. Tyler, and a splendid basket dinner at the grounds.

—The friends of the respective candidates for State officers should bear in mind that Saturday June 17 is the day, and the Court House, Hickman, is the place, to make your choice known.

—Mrs. Branchman, President of the State W. T. U., delivered a short but beautiful address to the Kentucky Sunday School, Sunday last, and received the thanks of the Superintendent and school.

—The First Tennessee Regiment, now in the Philippine Islands, will be mustered out by the first of August, says Adj. General Corbin. A number of West Kentucky and West Tennessee boys are in this regiment.

—The Magistrate in taking steps to build a new Court House, probably acted wisely under the law and circumstances, but there are a great many who think the present Court House could be repaired and added to so as to answer the public needs.

—Bob Buck has had over 20 years experience in repairing fine watches and clocks. Give him a chance, he will make them keep time.

—Miss Jennie McCutchen, daughter of W. M. McCutchen, was married on May 15th, in Los Angeles, California, to a Mr. Neighbors, a prominent merchant of that city. The Conier is late in publishing this bit of news, but none the less we wish the young couple a life of abundant joy and happiness.

—An unusual epidemic is reported in Henry County, Tennessee. Five cases of self destruction, three men and one girl, were reported last week.—Hickman Courier.

—Bro. Warren, who are wrong, say two. We had only two in one week. How things do grow when somebody else tells it. Henry County Herald.

SANDERS & REEVES

Has the newest, up-to-date 17 inch HUGGINS. Come and get you one. They are good goods, and so cheap.

—The Democrats of Fulton county are requested to meet at the court house in Hickman, Saturday, June 17th, 1909, at 9 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention at Louisville, Ky., June 21, 1909. The best of representation will be given to the State Convention should be one delegate for each 300 votes and fraction consisting of 100 or more votes cast for the head of Democratic electoral ticket at the presidential election of 1908.

## COURT HOUSE ELECTION ORDERED

By County Fiscal Court.

On motion of J. W. Myers, J. P. U. was suggested to the Court that the building of a court house in this county is necessary for the public convenience of the citizens of this county, and for the preservation of the public records of the county, and that for the purpose of enabling the Fiscal Court of Fulton county to build a court house for said county, that the question of appropriating an amount equal to Twenty Thousand (\$20,000) Dollars, by levying bonds of the county for that amount, payable to bearer in series of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars each, the first \$1,000 worth, or forty bonds, payable two years from date, and the next forty bonds payable three years from date, and the next forty bonds four years from date, and the next forty bonds five years from date, and the last forty bonds six years from date, be suggested to the voters of Fulton county at the regular election to be held in each precinct, in said county, on the 17th day of November, 1909, as required by Section 1900 of the Kentucky Statutes.

Said motion being put before the Court, a majority and quorum of whom were present, the following Justices voted in favor of said motion: J. W. Myers and J. Hays Blair, it being all the Justices present, and none voting against the motion; whereupon, the Court Judge, in said county, Judge of the Fiscal Court, declared said motion carried unanimously.

And, on motion, it was further ordered by said court that an election be held and polls be opened at the several precincts in this county on the 17th day of November, 1909, it being the day of the next general election to be held in this county for county officers, said general election to occur more than sixty days from this date, at which election the appropriation suggested for the court, it being a question of the levying of bonds of the county, of the denomination of \$100 each, due as follows: Forty bonds due two years from date, and bearing six per cent. interest from date until paid, and bonds to be made payable at the Farmers and Merchants Bank, Hickman, Ky., and the proceeds of which are to be used by the court to enable them to build a court house at the county site of the county, and furnish same, in this county, to the county judges, and the judges of the county for their personal or reception.

That said bonds to be issued by this court and executed and passed on printed forms under the seal of the County Court of this county, and signed by the presiding Judge of the County Court, and countersigned by the County Clerk of this county, and interest to be made payable annually from the date of their issue until paid, and for the purpose of selling them by a commissioner, to be appointed hereafter by the Court or otherwise as the Court may direct, and the money derived from said sales to be used as above designated in the order and in the manner of issuing and disbursing of said bonds, to be regulated by this Court as required by Article 10 of Chapter 32 of the Kentucky Statutes.

It is hereby directed that J. T. Stubbins, Sheriff of this county, be, and is hereby directed to advertise said bonds, and to cause them to be sold, or to be published in the county, that he printed bond bids issued up to three of the most public places of the county, and at the County Site.

It shall be the duty of the officers of said election in each precinct, and they are hereby ordered to hold and election there are required to hold elections for county officers, and said election shall be held and conducted in all respects under the general election laws of this county, and in accordance with the laws of this Commonwealth at that time.

H. M. KEARNEY, J. P. C. C.

Wheat Wanted.

Hoon & Evered announce that they are in the market to buy wheat, and will pay the highest market price, in any quantity, small or large lots.

Hoon & Evered.

Small Pox at Moscow.

It is generally understood that Mrs. R. S. Knicker living near Moscow has a genuine case of small pox though in a very light form. We are reliably informed that Dr. W. W. Richmond, of Clinton, pronounced Mrs. Knicker's sickness small pox. This has created as small amount of excitement in and around Moscow.—Fulton Courier.

BRADLEY HOT.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 27.—A Mr. Bradley, residing in Lexington left this morning for his home after an interview with Gov. Bradley. Most all the pardons issued by Acting Gov. Worthington were refused by Gov. Bradley on previous petitions, hence Gov. Bradley does not tolerate the free use of the power during his absence. Gov. Bradley did not go to California during his trip has been reported. He is still suffering from rheumatism.

—The latest fraud in a hood-black trial, which was formed in Paducah last week. The boot blacks of that city being effected by the free shining of the local shoe blacks, petitioned the city council to stop the free polishing of shoes; and that body being touched by the plea of the ladies, who make a living by the shining, passed an ordinance prohibiting free shining, much to the delight of the little fellows.

## WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY TESTS.

The report that Norconi is coming to this side in the fall to establish the workings of the International Yacht Race has induced the Philadelphia Press to set him a harder task in the application of his discovery. It suggests he shall employ it in obtaining and transmitting news of the Duke of Abruzzi's polar expedition.

The Duke is already on his way steaming north toward Franz Josef Land, Cape Flora, on one of the islands of Franz Josef Land, where he will land, is about 700 miles northeast of Hammerfest, near the coast of Norway. If the Norconi system has any chance of succeeding over 3,000 miles it ought to succeed easily over 700 miles.

Wellman and his party are now at Franz Josef Land. Andree may be there, and what better demonstration of the value of the Norconi system could be made than its installation between the North Cape, Norway, and Cape Flora, and the North Land.

The deadly isolation of Arctic life would disappear and the question of a winter in the frozen wastes would take on a new aspect after the polar explorers were in direct communication with home.

NO WHITE TRAIL WANTED.

Within a few months Long Island is to have an industrial colony made up of negroes from the South. It will be a municipality to itself, conducted according to its own rules, and will start its existence with a population of 1,000, all negroes. No white person will be permitted to acquire property for dwelling purposes within its limits but the factories which will furnish the industrial life of the town will be owned by whites. Lynch law as practiced in the South is the determining cause of this colony, the colonists being from the states of Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina, and should this experiment prove successful other Northern settlements for Southern negroes may follow. The promoters of the project say that this is the best thing on the part of the better element of the negroes of the South regarding the recent lynchings that 100,000 colored families would gladly leave the South and come North if employment could be guaranteed to them.—Chicago Record.

Come Forward!

All persons indebted to C. A. Holcomb are notified that they must come forward and settle. Delays are dangerous. Verbum Sapienti.

Squirrel Skin Telephones.

In some parts of Pike county Ky., the farmers use a novel kind of made telephone system with fairly good results. They stretch wires on poles the same as any other telephone but the box is a squirrel. The alarm is given or less than a cigar box with a squirrel skin stretched tight over the opening after moving the lid. This is attached to the end of the wire and serves as both transmitter and receiver. They talk to the squirrel skin and then put the ear against it to get a reply. The alarm is given or less than a cigar box with a squirrel skin stretched tight over the opening after moving the lid. This is attached to the end of the wire and serves as both transmitter and receiver. They talk to the squirrel skin and then put the ear against it to get a reply. The alarm is given or less than a cigar box with a squirrel skin stretched tight over the opening after moving the lid. This is attached to the end of the wire and serves as both transmitter and receiver. 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# THE HICKMAN COURIER.

George Warren.

HICKMAN, KY.,  
FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1909.

—School is out.  
—Shoes at \$14.98.  
—John T. Dillon returned to Evans, Miss., last week.

—The farmers are now putting in their last plowing crop.  
—The new Lucile Hotel will probably be completed by July 1st.

—The spring chicken has made its appearance on the home market.

—The City Council will meet in regular session next Monday night.

—Mrs. G. Hunsicker and daughter are visiting relatives at Highland, Ill.

—Human nature in Kentucky is no better than human nature in Russia.

—Shoe's \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 shoes can't be lost.

—County Attorney, A. W. Lindsay, was called to Fulton, Tennessee, on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roberts have returned from a visit to relatives in St. Louis.

—The man with an elastic imagination is apt to mistake it for his conscience.

—H. W. French and wife, of Mark Tree Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe May.

—The man who knows but one thing thinks capable of giving advice on all subjects.

—Blind Joe, the celebrated violinist, of Union City, was the guest of Char. E. Travis, this week.

—King up 99 when you want from Gold, Broad, Fronts, Nuts and Candies.

—Miss Estelle Millard, of Union City, was in the city several days the past week, visiting friends.

—Miss Mabel French left Tuesday to attend commencement exercises of Columbia Institute, Columbia, Tenn.

—Miss French, French, who is attending Columbia Institute, Columbia, Tennessee, will receive her diploma June 7.

—The little folks are arranging to have a basket picnic at Sulphur Springs some time within the next two or three weeks.

—THE OLD RELIABLE is the place to get your watch fixed cheap and good.

—Everything in the way of business is moving smoothly except the matrimonial business. That seems to be a little slow.

—It is reported here that Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Meyer and, probably, one or two of their children, are with the small pox, at Martin, Tenn.

—Jim Bragg, who shot Ed. Marshall, at Warsaw some time ago, appeared to the authorities at Clinton the other day and was released on a \$500 bond.

BEAVER HATS FOR \$2.00.  
Furnishing Goods Department.

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## COURT HOUSE ELECTION ORDERED

By County Fiscal Court.

The motion of J. W. Myers, J. P. U. was suggested to the Court that the building of a court house in this county is necessary for the public convenience of the citizens of this county, and for the preservation of the public records of the county, and that for the purpose of enabling the Fiscal Court of Fulton county to build a court house for said county, that the question of appropriating an amount equal to Twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, by issuing bonds of the county for that amount, payable to bearer in series of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars each, the first \$1,000 worth, or forty bonds, payable two years from date, and the next forty bonds payable three years from date, and the next forty bonds payable four years from date, and the next forty bonds payable five years from date, be suggested to the voters of this county at the regular election to be held on the 7th day of November, 1909, as required by Section 1500 of the Kentucky Statutes.

Said motion being put before the Court, a majority and quorum of whom were present, the following Justices voted in favor of said motion: J. W. Myers, J. P. U. and J. Hays Hall. It was then ordered that said motion be put to the voters of the county at the regular election to be held on the 7th day of November, 1909, as required by Section 1500 of the Kentucky Statutes.

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## CAUGHT A DESERTER.

Sheriff Fount Fisher captured Tomura Kumazo, the Japanese Wardman Steward who deserted the Nashville while at Columbia Stanley. Fount was there on that day and learned of the desertion, decided to keep a good eye for Mr. Jan, as he came home. Arriving at Duane school house, he saw him, and with the assistance of Barnett Killa, who, in company with his wife was coming from Columbus, succeeded in capturing him. He was brought on here, and that night his captor and Marshal Tom Warden left with him on 81 for Hickman, where the Nashville was to be Monday. On arriving at Hickman they procured a boat and rowed out to where the Nashville was anchored and delivered their prisoner to the naval authorities on board the ship. The Sheriff and Tom were royally received and on being presented, remained over to breakfast and had the honor of dining with Captain Maynard. When searched the prisoner had \$800.00 in his person, all of which the officer said belonged to him.—Barfield Star.

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## WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY TESTS.

The report that Marconi is coming to this side in the fall to superintend the workings of the International Yacht Race has induced the Philadelphia Press to set him a harder task in the application of his discovery. It suggests he should employ it in obtaining and transmitting news of the Duke of Abruzzi's polar expedition.

The Duke is already on his way steaming north toward Franz Josef Land, Cape Flora, on one of the islands of Franz Josef Land, where he will land, is about 700 miles northeast of Hammerfest, near the coast of Norway. If the Marconi system has any chance of succeeding over 3,000 miles it ought to succeed easily over 700 miles.

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Notice is hereby given to all parties or persons performing labor or furnishing material for the building or completion of the hotel now under construction in Hickman, Ky., where the Lucile hotel stand, that I will not be responsible to them for any work done or material furnished on or for said building, but they must look to the party who employs them, or contracts with them for the material. The Hickman Brick Co., contracted with me to furnish the labor and material for said building and I have paid under said contract all that I am to pay until the building is finished according to the contract. And no man need look to me for payment of either labor or material, except what I may be owing under the contract with said Brick Company upon settlement with them.

May 4th, 1909. SETH CURLIN.

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— Souther or later the attempt to hold and rule the Philippines as a subjugated colony must and will be given up for time and events are sure to demonstrate to the American people its utter folly and enormous cost both in blood and treasure. The souther President McKinley begins to study the problem of how to unload his Philippine policy the better it will be for him. For unless he shall get rid of it it netimes it is sure to break his political neck.





## War Taxes and a Deficit.

Secretary Gage admits "there will be a deficit of over \$100,000,000 at the close of the current fiscal year."

The deficit at the last report was \$100,000,000 and this is estimated to be considerably increased by the expenditures during May and June.

Secretary Gage looks for a "material increase" in the deficit next year. He hopes it will not be more than \$30,000,000, and expects to get along without another hand loan. He concedes, however, that "if something unforeseen develops it may become imperative to put the 3 per cent on the market."

The something unforeseen is not unlikely to be the claims of citizens for damages sustained in Cuba under the Spanish rule, which by the terms of the United States agreed to pay. Twenty million dollars is a low estimate for these claims, and it now appears that the limit for damages incurred by British, French and German residents in Cuba during the recent insurrection will be pressed against the United States. The aggregate, it is estimated, will be \$10,000,000.

Meanwhile our war expenses in the Philippines are certainly not growing less and the lowest limit for the present appears to have been reached in Cuba and Porto Rico. The admiral's fact remains that the United States is engaged for a specific purpose long since accomplished, but even with this addition to our revenues there is a great and continuing deficiency.—Henderson Gleason.

W. G. WINTER, druggist, Clinton, Ky., says he has sold Plantation Cure for many years, and among the many children he finds the Plantation Cure reliable as well as it is different from the genuine lozenges, which only stop the child for a short time. It removes the cause, and the cure is permanent.

## THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

The landmark came to the conclusion a few years ago, and so stated, that war between the nations was a thing of the past; that we had become too highly civilized and Christianized for that, and that arbitration would settle all our differences in the future. About the time we got settled in this belief along came the Spanish American war and knocked our conclusions and arbitration into a cocked hat. We suddenly saw our own peaceful nation transformed into a military camp, and we are still making war on a lot of semi-barbarians simply because we want to possess their country. We are hospitable to the Czar's peace conference, and we wish it well, but we do not expect any good to come of it.—Stateville (S. C.) Landmark.

## FELL FIFTY FEET.

One of the carpenters, "Bid Maroleon" by name fell from the top of the new courthouse building yesterday breaking a leg, five ribs and numberless severe bruises. He was taken to the Grey Hotel and has been in an almost unconscious state ever since. Dr. Griffin is waiting on him. There is not much hope for his recovery.—Lake Co. Press.

The populists have called a state convention for July 27, at Frankfort to nominate a state ticket.

ADMIRAL DEWEY has notified the Navy Department that he will not reach New York before October 1st.

COL. E. W. COLE, of Nashville, died very suddenly in New York last week, where he had gone with his wife and daughter on a business trip.

The Louisville Commercial says that Lieutenant Governor Worthington's pardon record is as open to criticism by his Republican friends as by his Democratic enemies. It is not creditable to his sense of justice.

The court of appeals is working around to a point where one day it will reverse its former position on building and loan associations, and these useful accessories to home building will be permitted to exist.—F a d u c a News.

The plow manufacturers have virtually formed a trust, the capitalization of which will be over \$65,000,000. The manufacturers will take in all the leading plowmakers in the country, the most of whom are located within 200 miles of Chicago. Organization was practically completed at a meeting held in Chicago last week. More than a score of men, representing the big factories, were in attendance, and the result of their deliberations will be made apparent in the incorporation of a combination which is intended to ultimately take in all the manufacturers of agricultural implements in the United States.

## LOCAL NEWS.

—Henry Weddridge, an aged citizen of Mayfield, and well known in Fulton county, died this week. He was 77.

—Attention is attracted to the article on "The Drainage." Mr. Chas. Travis, local agent, can give you further valuable information.

—Mr. Geo. Black, while engaged fixing an electric light wire, the ladder was upset, and in his fall one foot was very much hurt, which makes him incapable a few days.

—"Bird Joe" Manum, assisted by splendid home talent, will give a musical recital next week, for the benefit of the Episcopal Church. Donations will be made.

—A swindler, who proposes to teach ladies for \$2.50 a hour, to earn several dollars per week by making artificial flowers, and dress patterns, has been at work in some of the Central Kentucky towns. He collects a dollar in advance and never comes back.

—Sunday, June 4th, is the day on which Rufus P. Kibler, the mathematician, has produced that "Omniscient State," is to be destroyed by a cyclone. It is said he has added some to his knowledge, and Mr. Sterling is to receive a visit from the same tornado.

—The residence of Mr. Sam Bennett, who resides about one mile south of Fulton, was destroyed by fire last evening. Only a few household goods were saved. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Bennett narrowly escaped being burned to death in his efforts to save his house, which was insured.

—Here is another drive at the products of the cow from the United States. A firm at Knoxville, Ind., engaged in making patent butter. The fat is treated and ground and mixed with water, and the product is made as a spread. It is said to be very palatable and sells like hot cakes in a frosty morning at ten cents a pound.

—This is what they do to negroes in Kentucky. A couple of them were engaged in a boxing match in Fulton. The leader says they were separated by E. J. Roberts, who was standing near by and took charge of the negro and fined each \$2 and costs. They were then turned over to Mr. K. T. Miller, who fined them 1.00 and cost each.

—Editor George Warren advises that his paper, the Hickman Courier, is for sale. Mr. Warren has been connected with the publication of the paper for more than forty years. It is the oldest paper in Western Kentucky, and Mr. Warren has made an enviable record in ability, concentration and journalistic fairness during his long service as editor.—Courier Journal.

—"Have you noticed the fine advertisement I have on the fence on south-west of town," said a merchant to one of his customers the other day. No, replied the customer, but if you will send the fence around some day I will read it and see what you are dealing in. Back to the fence and the merchant said, "I have not time to study fenceology.—Exchange.

—Fulton Leader. Frank Newton, a farmer near Walnut Grove, was shot at from ambush five times last night, but none of the shots took effect. Mr. Newton walked out to the road in front of his house when the shots were fired. He says he had no suspicion of any danger from what came there. The sheriff has immediately telephoned Marshall Walker for bloodhounds but they were unable to be of any assistance.

—The Bardwell Press prints this little incident of the visit of the famous Nashville at Columbia. A strange hand on one of the Nashville "jacks" a half dollar and asked him to "show him around." The "jack" tossed the money in the river, colored up and indignantly but politely informed the visitor that he was an American citizen, in the employ of his country and needed no half dollar to extend any courtesy he could extend to an American citizen.

—You may attack a man's character, and he may forgive you; you may abuse his family, and make it up with him; you may assault his religion, and finally, against his favor; you may dispute with him about his favorite brand of spirits, and yet live to enjoy his friendship. But when you begin to interfere with the rights and privileges of his dog you overstep the bounds of human endurance, and war will follow. It doesn't matter that the dog is a worthless cur. In fact, that only aggravates the offense. The dog is all the more loved for being so good. The dog is a part and parcel of man's personal history, and when you touch that you are striking at the very foundation stone of our government. Such rights are guaranteed under the Constitution, and by the blood of our fathers we are going to maintain those rights.—Ex.

—It is remarkable how many graceful motions a lady can make with the hand which wears the diamond ring.

—A Kentuckian named Carnan made an attempt to commit suicide in St. Louis, Saturday, by jumping into the river. He refused to grasp a rope thrown to him by his suitor and struggled against the attempt made to save him.

The most disastrous cyclone that has swept over the country between Medon and Koneshaw, Missouri and Iowa were destroyed, and people only saved by retreating to cyclone cellars and getting into ditches.

NINE persons were killed and many badly injured in a wreck on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railroad near Waterloo, Ia., Sunday morning. A cloud-burst had left the track unsupported and the entire train was derailed. Several of the cars were tele-scoped.

## Tile Draining in Fulton County.

The presence of too much water in the soil keeps it cold and prevents the rays of the sun from warming the land. The result is the plants never get the benefit of the sun and the roots are essential to growth.

In the next place, when there is too much water in the soil the plant food becomes so much diluted that a much greater quantity of food must be taken in by the roots of the plant in order to be sufficiently nourished. So much water is absorbed in the soil and leaves that it keeps down the temperature and increases the evaporation, thus producing a lower natural heat and causing the growth to be retarded and not arrested.

In the third place the physical properties of the soil are impaired by the removal of the water. Pipe clay when dry can be easily reduced to a powder, but when water is poured upon them they run together and become compact and adhesive and exclude the air from the roots of the growing plants, but when the water is removed these soils gradually contract and crack in every direction. The access of air is essential to the fertility of the soil and the healthy growth of all cultivated crops. Drainage by the use of tiles makes room for the air after removing the water from the soil. After every rain the water sinks to the tiles, is carried off and leaves the mass of the soil porous enough for the penetration of air.

Vegetable matter becomes highly valuable in a soil drained and filled with atmospheric air. When the soil is saturated with water the vegetable matter either decomposes very slowly or it produces a solid compound that is deleterious to vegetable life. When the air is admitted freely, however, to the soil, vegetable matter decomposes rapidly. Carbonic acid is produced in large quantities, as well as other compounds on which the plant may live. The air enters the inorganic matter of the soil better filled for plant nutrition. It occurs, therefore, that manures containing organic matter are far more effective on well drained lands than on lands charged with water.—Killed.

—The small-pox quarantine at Dresden has been partially raised.

## A Call.

The Republican Committee of Fulton County is called to meet at the Fulton Chamber of Commerce, on Saturday, June 3rd, 1894, at 10 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the State Convention which meets at Frankfort, Ky., July 2nd, 1894. L. COLLINS, Chairman. GEO. T. BRADLEY, Sec'y.

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